

EXHIBIT 3

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA
BEAUFORT DIVISION**

RICHARD ALEXANDER)
MURDAUGH, JR.,)
)
Plaintiff,)
)
v.)
)
BLACKFIN, INC., WARNER BROS.)
DISCOVERY, INC., WARNER)
MEDIA ENTERTAINMENT PAGES,)
INC., CAMPFIRE STUDIOS INC.,)
THE CINEMART LLC, NETFLIX,)
INC., GANNETT CO., INC. and)
MICHAEL M. DEWITT, JR.,)
)
Defendants.)
)

Civil Action No.: _____

**DEFENDANTS GANNETT CO., INC.'S, AND MICHAEL M. DEWITT, JR.'S
CONSENT TO REMOVAL OF ACTION**

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1446(b), Defendants Gannett Co., Inc. (“Gannett”), and Michael M. DeWitt, Jr. (“DeWitt”), by and through undersigned counsel, join in and/or consent to the removal of this action, originally pleaded as Civil Action No. 2024-CP-25-00192 in the Court of Common Pleas, County of Hampton, State of South Carolina, to the extent their consent is necessary as fraudulently joined Defendants.

Defendant Gannett received the Summons and Complaint on or about August 12, 2024. Gannett is a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Delaware with its principal place of business in the State of New York.¹

¹ Although Gannett is alleged in the Complaint to be a citizen of Virginia, it moved its principal place of business to New York in March 2024.

Defendant DeWitt received the Summons and Complaint on or about July 23, 2024, and is a citizen of South Carolina.

DATE: September 9, 2024

Respectfully submitted,

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